

# TV CANDIDS

by Terrence O'Flaherty

I've been sitting around the house humming the Foreman's Aria, from the Gallo Wine Opera and trying to think some kind thoughts for 1963. The following things occurred to me as desirable:

I would like to see less of: Herminoie Gingold, the Cabors (including Mama), Dorothy Kilgallen, aspirin, Bufferin, Excedrin, all the cranky females in the "can't brush after every meal" toothpaste ads, Abe Burrows, Sammy Davis Jr., hospitals, and Durward Kirby.

I would like to see Hazel run away with Higgins and have "The Three Stooges" adopt "My Three Sons."

I would like to see Dr. Casey and Dr. Kildare team up with "The Nurses" and remove every appendix at the Desilu Studios free of charge—and on television, of course.

I would like to see Stoney Burke compete with Earl Holliman for the Grand National title.

I would like to have the television dramatists provide us with heroes who are honorable and decent instead of delinquent, disordered, or hysterical.

I would like to see man's good deeds praised rather than his bad deeds analyzed.

I would like to have the names, addresses, photographs, and IQs of the 1,200 people regularly queried by the Nielsen audience ratings service whose reactions determine what 150 million people will see on television.

I would like to have background music return to the background.

I would like to see fewer children tracking across clean kitchen floors and pouring molasses on table cloths.

I'd like to see "Wagon Train" race the Twenty Mule Team through Death Valley.

I would like to send Jack Douglas across the Seven Seas.

I'd like to see Ozzie and Harriet adopt Doble Gillis, Evelyn Rudie, and Dan Smoot—and raise them as their own.

I'd like to see a Rose Tournament bathing beauty fall off her float—but not get hurt seriously.

I'd like to see the Mouseketeers revived with Young Doctor Malone as the head Mouseketeer surrounded by Oral Roberts and the Dead End Kids.

I'd like to find a new place for Dick Clark instead of on "American Bandstand"—say as a replacement for Bert Parks on "Yours for a Song."

I would like to see a sponsor whose commercial plug consists of a single statement: "We believe that our product is the finest you can buy. If you have enjoyed this show, won't you ask for it when you are shopping?"

I would like to have the Dash salesman with the Bronx accent electrocute himself when unplugging an electric washing machine.

I would like to see Perry Mason defend Sam Benedict for murdering Mr. District Attorney. And lose.

I'd like to see the Real McCoys marry the Beverly Hillbillies—and return to the hills.

I would like to see the stars, and families of stars, stop hawking the sponsor's product. It is distracting and degrading.

And I hope the people who killed off "Fair Exchange" and "It's a Man's World" will die laughing at Joey Bishop, "Don't Call Me Charlie," and the "Movie of the Week."

## ECC Offers Conversational Courses in Four Languages

Conversational courses in four foreign languages will be offered at El Camino College for the spring semester, Harry L. Ruby, assistant director of humanities, announced this week.

Students may take up to four semesters of Spanish, French, German or Russian at one unit of college credit per semester, completed.

"Conversational language courses of this type are of value to students as well as to citizens of the community who expect to be traveling abroad in the near future," Ruby said. Credit may be used for

graduation from El Camino or for transfer credit at UCLA, USC and the California state colleges.

Classes are held on Monday and Wednesday at 11 a.m. There will be an evening class in Spanish on Monday from 6 to 8 p.m.

Final registration will be Jan. 28.

Permits to register may be picked up at the college registration office.

## Management Class Over

Michael Powers, 165 W. Jay St., has completed a 36-week course in life insurance agency management.

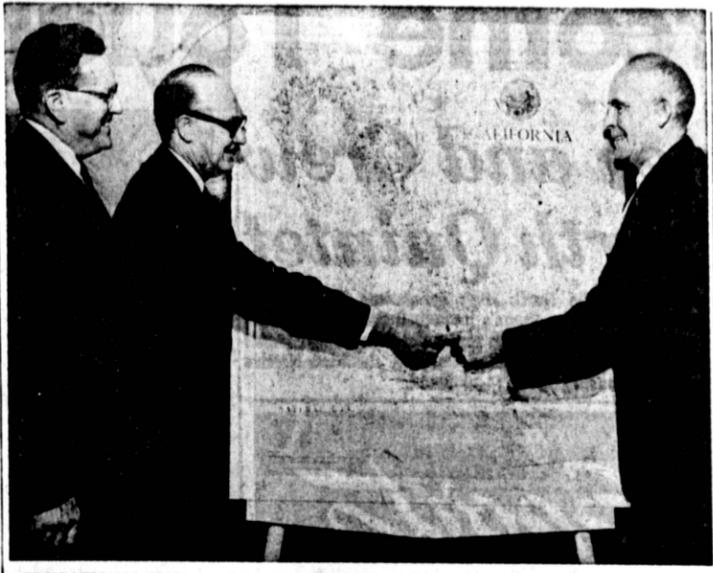
Powers is a division manager for the Albert L. Jason agency of the Prudential Insurance Co.

According to Albert Jason, agency manager, the program acquaints management personnel with the latest methods of recruiting, training and supervising men under their direction.

Jason marked successful conclusion of the studies by presenting Powers with a certificate of completion signed by Edgar M. Kelly, executive director of agencies for the company.



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EDUCATIONAL MAP . . . In presenting California relief map to Braille Institute of America, officials of Southern California Gas Co. Division Manager L. R. Pickup (left) and Vicepresident Frank C. Sullivan point out utility's serving territory to John H. Holmes, right, executive director of institute. Sealed map will be used in educational program conducted for blind students by the organization.

## College Offers Realty Course

A member of the Torrance-Lomita Board of Realty will be instructor of a course in Real Estate Appraisal at Harbor College.

George L. Fisher will teach the course which meets from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Thursdays starting Feb. 7. Covered in the course will be the basic appraisal techniques, cost, income, and market data approaches as applied to vacant land, residential and income

## Holds Meeting

The regular meeting of the Board of Education will be held tomorrow at 7:30 p.m. Administrative Office, 2335 Plaza Del Amo, according to J. H. Hull, secretary.

ber of the American Right-of-way Assn., Los Angeles Chapter. Fisher has had many years' experience in appraisal work specializing in the field of eminent domain.

Deadline for filing application for the Spring semester is Friday, Jan. 25.

# Torrance Church Calendar

<p><b>SOUTH BAY BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 4565 Sharynne Lane Torrance Pastor: Dr. J. C. Brumfield SUNDAY School 9:30-10:45 A.M. Morning Worship 10:45-11:45 A.M. Junior Church Baptist Training Fellowship 6:00-7:00 P.M. Evening Worship 7:00 P.M. WEDNESDAY Bible study and prayer 7:00 P.M. Choir rehearsal 8:00 P.M. Modern crib nursery and toddler care provided all stated church services Sunday School Bus transportation schedule 8:00-8:45 P.M.</p>	<p><b>CHRIST THE KING LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> 2706 W. 182nd St., Torrance Maynard V. Mithun, Pastor. Phone Davis 3-5221 Res. Davis 3-3455 Divine Worship, 8:30 A.M. Sunday School, 9:45 A.M. Divine Worship, 11:00 A.M. Nursery care provided at both services.</p>	<p><b>FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST</b> 218th St. and Manuel Ave. Torrance, Calif. Church Services—11 a.m. Wednesday Eve. Meetings—8 p.m. Sunday School—9:15 a.m. and 11:00 a.m. Children under 10 year of age must be accompanied by parent or guardian for enrollment. Reading Room—1406 Cravena Open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily except Sunday and Holidays. Also 7 to 8 Monday and Friday evenings. All are welcome to attend our services and to use our Reading Room.</p>
<p><b>FOURSQUARE GOSPEL CHURCH</b> Corner Arlington and Sepulveda Tel. DA 6-2072 Rev. and Mrs. Jas P. Lowen SUNDAY School 9:30-10:45 a.m. Morning Worship 10:45 a.m. Group Services 6:30 p.m. (Y.P. Cadets) Evangelistic 7:30 p.m. MIDWEEK Wednesday—Bible Study at 7:30 PUBLIC INVITED</p>	<p><b>DEL AMO SOUTHERN BAPTIST CHURCH</b> 2328 Cabrillo Ave., Torrance (Permanent Bldg.—225 St. at Ocean Ave.) Sunday School—9:45 A.M. Worship Services—11 A.M.—7 P.M. Wednesday—Midweek Services: 8 A.M. &amp; 8 P.M. Teachers 7 P.M. Prayer Service—7:45 P.M. Choir Rehearsal—8:30 P.M. Pastor—Daniel B. Weaver Jr. FR 1-3925</p>	<p><b>CENTRAL CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN</b> Marcellina &amp; Arlington Rev. Walter M. Stanton FA 8-3010 9:30—Sunday School 11:00—Morning Worship 6:30—Youth Fellowship 7:30—Evening Worship Midweek Worship Service 7:00 Wednesday Evening</p>
<p><b>HOPE CHURCH EVANGELICAL UNITED BRETHREN</b> 2341 Arleta (W. 174th St.) Rev. Monrad Bergesen Res. DA 9-3543 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School 11:00 a.m.—Morning Worship 6:30 p.m.—Evening Fellowship 7:30 p.m.—Evening Fellowship Bible Study and Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 Nursery care provided for the morning services DA 9-1013</p>	<p><b>ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH</b> 2404 Hawthorne Blvd. Waltersia Rev. O. W. Fish, Pastor Frontier 5-7738 Sunday School—9:45 a.m. Morning Worship—11:00 a.m. Evangelistic Services—7:30 p.m. Tues. Prayer Meeting—7:30 p.m. Thurs. Young Peoples—7:30 p.m.</p>	<p><b>FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF TORRANCE</b> (Disciples of Christ) 280 El Dorado, Torrance Rev. H. Milton Sipeel, Pastor Res. Phone FA 8-4523 Two Sessions of Church School and Morning Worship, 9:30 and 11:00 a.m. Nursery provided at both Christian Youth Fellowship—7 p.m.</p>
<p><b>FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH</b> at Carson &amp; Manuel St. Torrance, Calif. Phone FA 8-5090 Acting Pastor: Rev. Robert Dehn SUNDAY—3 Morning Services 9:15 A.M.—10:45 A.M. Sunday School for Nursery thru Juniors, College and Adults 10:45—12 High and High School Fellowship Training—1:15 P.M. Evangelistic Message—7:30 P.M. WEDNESDAY—Bible Study 7:30 P.M. Communion Service and Prayer Nursery provided for all services, also sound proof mothers' room. ALL WELCOME</p>	<p><b>SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST</b> Corner of Anelia and Rosoma Manson Metcalf, Pastor 21529 Polaris Torrance Phone: 820-0804 Church Office—FA 8-1540 Sabbath School—8:30 A.M. Church Service—11 A.M. Worship—7:30 P.M. Friday Youth Meeting—7:30 P.M.</p>	<p><b>FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Carson and Flower Phone Fairfax 4-5584 William J. Rieder, Pastor 8:00 &amp; 10:45 a.m.—Worship Service 9:45 &amp; 9:45 a.m.—Sunday School 10:45 a.m.—Worship Service (Nursery at 10:45 Service) Holy Communion—First Sunday Luther League—2nd and 4th Sundays</p>
<p><b>GREYFRIARS MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN (Orthodox)</b> 22511 South Figueroa, Torrance Worship hours 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Every Sunday Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Young People's Fellowship 6 p.m. Prayer Meeting every Wednesday Evening at 7 o'clock Rev. William J. Romer, Pastor Mr. Richard Gordon Supt. of Sunday School Mr. Will Power Director of Choir</p>	<p><b>ROLLING HILLS COVENANT CHURCH</b> 2221 Palos Verdes Dr. No. Robert A. Honnelt, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Classes for all ages and interest groups. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Evening Service at 7:30 p.m. Youth groups for Junior and Senior High School Youth at 8:00 a.m. Nursery and Children's church services each Sunday.</p>	<p><b>ST. JAMES CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> 417 Vincent St., Redondo Sunday Masses: 8, 7, 8, 10:15, 11:15 and 12:00 High Mass, 9 A.M.</p>
<p><b>SOUTH BAY CHURCH OF GOD</b> 17481 Yukon, Torrance Phone DA 9-3411 or FA 1-3074 Pastor: Rev. Clifford L. Tierney Associate Pastor: Rev. Clifford L. Tierney Hitchcock 9:30 a.m.—Sunday School 11:00 a.m.—Church 7:00 p.m.—Evening Services Nursery Care Provided</p>	<p><b>FIRST METHODIST CHURCH</b> Torrance Trade Center Phone FA 8-2242 Rev. Gilbert S. Zimmerman Res. Phone FA 6-6241 Rev. Edward D. Goodell Res. Phone: FA 6-2717 3 Sessions of Morning Worship and church school at 9 and 11 a.m. Nursery provided. 8:30 p.m. Methodist Youth Fellowship Meetings</p>	<p><b>DEL AMO CHRISTIAN CHURCH</b> (Corner of Emerald and Victor) Phone 371-8414 Lella C. Ashford, Minister 9 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Worship 11 a.m. Sunday School 6:30 p.m. Christian Youth Fellowship</p>
<p><b>FRIENDSHIP BIBLE CHURCH</b> YMCA Building 3200 Washington Torrance G. E. Ney, Pastor Sunday School—10:00 a.m. Morning Worship—11:00 a.m. Evening Services—7:30 p.m. Thursday Bible Study—4:45 p.m. Pastor's home.</p>	<p><b>ASCENSION LUTHERAN CHURCH</b> Missouri Synod 17910 So. Prairie Avenue Torrance, California Family Worship, 8:30 and 11:00 a.m. (Nursery at both services) Sunday School and Bible Classes, 9:45 a.m. Holy Communion, First Sunday of each month. Christian Day School: Kindergarten to Grade 7. All services open to the public. You are welcome. Lloyd C. Warnke, Pastor</p>	<p><b>CHURCH OF CHRIST</b> 2061 W. 232nd Street Torrance Sunday: Bible Study... 10:00 A.M. Worship... 11:00 A.M. Bible Study... 5:00 P.M. Worship... 6:00 P.M. Wednesday Study &amp; Worship 7:30 P.M. O. Max Bradford, Preacher 376-7187</p>
<p><b>UNITY CHURCH OF CHRISTIANITY</b> (Church House) 2258 Torrance Boulevard Tel. 320-4571 Emma Muffley, Minister Sunday services: Walteria Park Recreation House, 2855 34th Street in Torrance Weekday classes at Church House.</p>	<p><b>ALL SKIRT LENGTHS</b> Values to \$3.99. You'll find fine wools in plaids and solid colors... NOW MARKED <b>1/2 Price</b></p>	<p><b>BULKY KNIT SWEATERS</b> Beautiful new ladies cardigan sweaters in 100% orlon... So fluffy and luxurious. SIZES 34-40. REGULAR TO \$5.99 <b>\$3.77</b></p>



NOW IS THE TIME . . . Registration continues at El Camino College for the spring semester. An enrollment of more than 12,000 is anticipated for the new term. Permits to register are still available with final date for registration set for Monday, Jan. 28.

## Fire Damages Parts Plant

Fire Sunday did \$50,000 to more than an hour to contain the blaze which billowed smoke parts factory at 558 W. 182nd St. visible for miles over the Torrance, Dominguez and Gardena area. Flames were spread through the 70 by 100 foot building by exploding cans of paint and solvent. Seven city and four county engine companies, totaling 70 firemen, responded to the call.

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